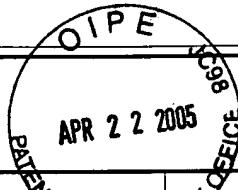


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
066489-0012

In Re Application Of: T. BIERBAUM



Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/003,293	December 6, 2001	M. N. BUMGARNER	25269	3732	5081

Invention: DENTAL INSTRUMENT WITH A DEVICE TOOL AND A TRANSMISSION DEVICE WITH MAGNETIC CLUTCH ELEMENTS

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of December 29, 2004 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: **March 29, 2005** Date _____ until: **April 29, 2005** Date _____

The fee for the extension of time is \$120 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 - The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-2223.
 - If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-2223.
 - Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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Signature

Dated: April 21, 2005

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